

The Governor's Institute for Parent Leadership at the Prichard Committee helps parents partner with educators to increase student achievement. GCIPL workshops give you the training, insight and confidence to move your school forward.

Customized workshops allow you to build a training event that targets your school or district's specific needs. Any combination of the following workshops can be crafted into 1-2 days of training for your group.

Parent Leadership 101 (two full days plus a follow-up meeting) \$5,500.00, plus expenses

GCIPL's signature event for parents in your district or school combines many of our key workshop components. PL 101 trains parents to:

- Understand data and standards
- Reach and motivate other parents
- Impact student achievement
- Effect positive change and climate

**Parents and Teachers Talking Together (1.5 or .5 days)
(facilitation and training of trainers - \$3,500.00, plus expenses)**

Learn how to facilitate—or engage in—a dialogue between the two groups who know what's best for students: parents and teachers. Together, we will discuss what we want for students and develop an action plan to make it happen. This can be a facilitated event, or the facilitation followed by training of facilitators.

**The Missing Piece - Engaging parents to complete the proficiency puzzle (1 or 1.5 days)
(one full day - \$2,000.00, plus expenses)**

The Missing Piece of the Proficiency Puzzle training is a tool that can be used by educators and parents, working as teams, to evaluate their school's current parent involvement programs and practices specifically as they relate to improving student achievement. Participants are guided to delve deeper into the six objectives and their descriptors using the parent involvement inventory tool along with a rubric. Embedded in the training, the participants will create an action plan that can integrate with the school improvement process. Results of the action plan lead to building a diverse, involved, and well trained cadre of parents focused on student achievement at their school. Follow up implementation of the plan is reported in 3-6 months.

Authentic Parent Engagement: a training-of-trainers (\$2,750.00, plus expenses)

A one-day workshop for educators (district teams; best for each team to include one parent) to build solid school-to-home relationships so that educators and parents work together to improve student achievement. (Contains large, comprehensive notebook for trainers with complete curriculum, handouts, etc.)

- Based on research showing parents will be involved when they know they should be, know they are capable, and feel welcome, educators will:
 - Assess their attitudes and practices
- Link parent involvement to student achievement in their schools
- Determine strategies to develop authentic relationships with parents
 - Obtain activities and tools to train school personnel

Parent on Line One!

(\$1,000.00, plus expense, usually combined with consulting or another workshop option)

School office staff members fill a number of roles, from telephone operator to triage nurse and from gate-keeper to customer service rep. In this workshop, secretaries and other school personnel can learn how to break down tension and build up rapport when parents call up or walk in.

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